# AGENDA COMMISSION ON DISABILITY ISSUES Monday, October 24, 2005

**LOCATION**: City Hall, 2263 Santa Clara Avenue, Conference Room 391

**TIME**: 7:30 p.m.

**ROLL CALL**: Berger, Bunker, Chadow, Chair Cooney, Fort, Vice-Chair Gwynne,

Longley-Cook, McGaughey, Moore, Steffens

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**MINUTES**: Approval of August 22, 2005 Commission Minutes

#### WRITTEN COMMUNICATIONS:

**NEW BUSINESS: None** 

#### **OLD BUSINESS:**

### 1. Alameda Theater: (staff)

Jennifer Ott, Development Manager, Development Services, will update the commission on the theater architect's presentation comments by the commissioners.

### 2. <u>Pedestrian Access During Construction Projects</u>: (Chair Cooney)

Continued discussion and review of proposed worksheet on maintaining pedestrian access during construction projects.

### 3. Bus Shelter at Santa Clara Avenue and Walnut Street: (secretary/ Chair Cooney)

Discussion on existing open-ended bus shelter at Santa Clara Avenue and Walnut Street.

## 4. **Proclamation:** (Chair Cooney)

Discussion of the proclamation declaring the month of October as Disability Awareness Month.

### 5. <u>Alameda Theater</u>: (secretary)

Status on the commission's proposed recommendations for ADA policies for providing effective communications and reasonable accommodations for persons with disabilities.

### **6. Bylaws Modification**: (Chair Cooney)

Discussion on clarification of Article III, Section C, Item C, "Failure to attend 75% of meetings held during any 12-month period, whether excused or not excused." of the Bylaws.

### 7. Alameda Collaborative: (Commissioner Longley-Cook)

Update on the October 19 collaborative meeting.

### 8. Handicap Ramp Broadway at Central Avenue: (secretary)

Discussion on the existing ramp located at the intersection of Broadway and Central Avenue.

#### **STAFF COMMUNICATIONS:**

#### **ORAL COMMUNICATIONS:**

**ADJOURNMENT:** Next meeting December 12, 2005, Room 391. No meeting in November.

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